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ELLIOTT MOORE, FORMER NLRB DEPUTY ASSOCIATE GENERAL COUNSEL IN THE DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT LITIGATION, IS DEAD AT 77

Elliott "Tad" Moore, who headed the Appellate Court Branch of the National Labor Relations Board, died on Wednesday, October 19, 2005 in his home in Oriental, NC. He was 77.

Born in Sarasota, FL, Mr. Moore was the only child of Elliott L. Moore and Arlene Kuck Moore. A veteran, he served in the U. S. Air Force for four years, in California and in Japan during the Korean War, leaving service as a technical sergeant.

Mr. Moore received an AB degree from Duke University and an LLB from the University of Florida. After three years of private practice in Atlanta, GA, he joined the NLRB there in 1958, later transferring to the Appellate Court Branch in Washington, DC, as a briefing attorney. In 1962, he was promoted to supervisory attorney, in 1972 he became Associate Chief of the Appellate Court Branch and in 1973, then-General Counsel Peter G. Nash designated him Branch Chief and appointed him Deputy Associate General Counsel, a position he held until retiring in 1987.

As Deputy Associate General Counsel, Mr. Moore was responsible for representing the NLRB in all 12 U. S. Courts of Appeals, and he was admitted in all of them. He administered one of the Federal Government's largest and busiest appellate court practices. During his tenure as Chief, the Branch reached its peak in personnel and in briefs filed. As an attorney for the Board, he personally argued hundreds of cases, including a successful defense of one of the Board's largest representation elections, a 1978 election involving 19,000 production and maintenance employees at the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company. Mr. Moore also obtained two amendments to the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, one of which, by providing that parties adverse to the NLRB proceed first on briefing, regardless of who brought the case to court, substantially altered NLRB's litigation practice to this day.

Mr. Moore was predeceased by his first wife, the former Ann McLain, of Atlanta. He is survived by his second wife, former NLRB attorney Suzanne Stocking, his three sons, Cason Moore of Ocala, FL; Cary Moore of Arlington, VA; and Jonathan (Jay) Moore of Arlington, VA, and six grandchildren.

Memorial services were held on Saturday, October 22, 2005, a morning service at St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Oriental, NC, at 9:30 a.m. and a graveside service in the Quaker tradition at the Oakdale Cemetery in Wilmington, NC, at 2:30 p.m.

The family has planned a Washington memorial service which will be at the Friends Meeting House, 2111 Florida Avenue, NW (just west of Connecticut Ave.) at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, October 27, 2005.